

Senate Education Committee Amendment No. 1

Amendment No. 1 to HB3943

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 3364*

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and by substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-5-702(a), is amended by deleting the first sentence in its entirety and by substituting instead the following language:

Any person holding a position which requires a teacher's license shall be granted leave for military service, legislative service, maternity, adoption, recuperation of health or visitation of a spouse, child or parent deployed for military duty out of the country who has been granted rest and recuperation leave and may be granted leave for educational improvements or other sufficient reason without forfeiture of accumulated leave credits, tenure status or other fringe benefits.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-5-704, is amended by adding the following language to the end of the present language:

Leave to visit a spouse, child or parent deployed for military duty out of the country who has been granted rest and recuperation leave shall be granted for no longer than ten (10) days.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2008, the public welfare requiring it.